

Gear List: Wates Gibson 55+

**The ACC will supply all group gear including ropes, first aid kit, emergency communication devices, emergency tarp etc.*

Personal Gear

- A small overnight pack (35-50L is usually the standard)
- Sleeping bag (5°C to 0°C, depending on your comfort level)
- Headlamp with spare batteries
- Sunglasses (close-fitting with dark lenses)
- Sunscreen and SPF lip protection
- Small personal first aid kit with blister kit
- Toilet paper and hand sanitizer
- Small food storage container for daily lunch
- Minimum 1L wide-mouth, plastic water bottle
- Map and compass/altimeter/GPS
- Meals, snacks, and personal beverages

Optional Gear

- Collapsible hiking poles (highly recommended)
- Small journal and pencil
- Earplugs
- Pocketknife
- Small personal amount of liquor or treats if desired
- Gaiters
- Camera
- Lighter
- Cash for tips (if desired)

Suggested Clothing

- Outer shell jacket (GoreTex preferred, or waterproof, breathable equivalent)
- 2-3x base layer top and bottoms (synthetic or merino wool)
- Warm outer pants (e.g. Schoeller, quick to dry, breathable fabric)
- Fleece or other synthetic jacket (synthetic or merino wool)
- 2-3x hiking socks (wool, fleece, or synthetic)
- Warm toque or balaclava
- Sun hat with neck and ear protection
- Light shoes/slippers for around the huts

Where to Rent Gear

Most cities have local gear rental stores, but here are a few local shops to check out. We recommend calling ahead at least a few days to book gear, so they're not sold out.

Gear Up!	Wilson Sports	U of Calgary
www.gearupsport.com 1302 Bow Valley Trail Canmore, AB 403-678-1636 *ACC members get a 10% discount!	www.wmsll.com Building A – Samson Mall 201 Village Road Lake Louise, AB 888-547-2559 info@wmsll.com	https://activelivingportal.ucalgary.ca/Rental University of Calgary 2500 University Drive NW Calgary Alberta T2N 1N4